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5. In 1949 a large number of reserve officers of all ranks in the 26-40 age bracket were called to duty for an indefinite period. The components recalled included aviation, armor and artillery (the entire reserve of AAA officers was recalled). All had wartime service. I do not, however, know of any changes in the Reserve and Mobilization System of Soviet Armed Forces.
6. I know of no recent change in the leave policy. In the USSR Soviet officers receive annually 30 days plus one week travel time. In the Soviet Zone of Germany and Austria, they receive 45 days plus a maximum of 20 days for travel. NCO's and EM in the USSR receive no leave during their first two years of service. In their third year they are entitled to 15 days plus a maximum of one week travel time. In Germany and Austria they received one leave per tour of occupation duty (a tour may be three to five years). This leave is for 30 days plus a maximum of 15 days for travel.
7. I believe there are 21 or 22 Military Districts in the USSR; the following

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Military Districts

<u>Transliteration of Russian Designation</u>	<u>English Meaning</u>
Moskovski	Moscow
Kievski	Kiev
Odesski	Odessa
Priкарпатски (established since the end of World War II)	Near-Carpathian
Belorusski	White Russian
Pribaltiski (established since the end of World War II)	Near Baltic
Leningradski	Leningrad
Orlovski	Orlov
Kharkovski	Kharkov
Zakavkazki	Transcaucasian
Severno-Kavkazki	North Caucasus
Zauralski	Trans-Ural
PriKaspijski	Near Caspian
Sredneaziatski	Middle Asiatic
Zabaikalski	Trans-Baikal
Primorski	Primorski (Maritime)

I believe there is also a Gorki and Voronezh District.

8. The replacement depot at Frankfurt on Oder is the only one of its kind. It services the Soviet Zone of Germany and Austria.

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